

REMARKS

I. Conclusion

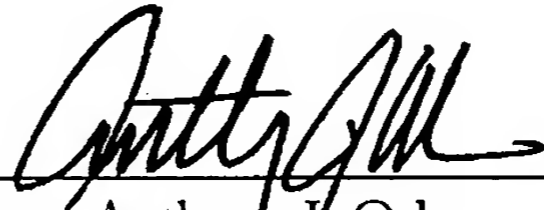
In view of the above, it is submitted that this application is now in good order for allowance and such allowance is respectfully solicited. Should the Examiner believe minor matters still remain that can be resolved in a telephone interview, the Examiner is urged to call Applicants' undersigned attorney.

Respectfully submitted,

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IN THE DRAWINGS

On January 19, 2005, FIG. 1 labeled "Replacement Sheet" was filed in response to an Office Action dated October 19, 2004. The Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment is erroneous in that the drawing figure filed on January 19, 2005, complied with the requirements under 37 C.F.R. §1.121. For the Examiner's convenience, Applicants have attached an additional copy of FIG. 1.